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## LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION

### MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING MONDAY, JULY 11, 2016 AT 9:00 AM IN THE RIVERVIEW ROOM OF THE MONTELEONE HOTEL, 214 ROYAL STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

#### *PRESENTATION OF PLAQUE COMMEMORATING LEVERNE PERRY*

#### I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

##### A. BOYD RACING, LLC d/b/a DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK, CASINO & HOTEL

###### 1. PROGRESS REPORT

###### 2. LIGHTING SYSTEM

- a. Discussion of electrical expert's response regarding the operating status of Delta Downs' lighting system.

##### B. THE OLD EVANGELINE DOWNS, LLC

d/b/a EVANGELINE DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

###### 1. PROGRESS REPORT

###### 2. STALL EXPANSION

- a. Discussion of LSRC-mandated response from Boyd Gaming Corporation detailing their long-term plan for building additional barns and stall expansion at Evangeline Downs.

###### 3. EXOTIC WAGERING TAKEOUT (LA. REV. STAT. 4:166.7)

- a. Request to lower take-out percentage of Pick 4 wagering from 25% to 12% for the remainder of the 2016 thoroughbred meet at Evangeline Downs ending Saturday, August 27, 2016.

#### 2016 THOROUGHBRED MEET

###### 4. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

- a. Ratification of Davis Wedlake to serve as Alternate Association Steward for 2016 thoroughbred meet.
- b. Ratification of Angela Hebert to serve as Placing Judge for 2016 thoroughbred meet.
- c. Ratification of \*Bobby Granger to serve as Alternate Placing Judge/Official Clocker for 2016 thoroughbred meet.  
*\*new official*

##### C. CHURCHILL DOWNS LOUISIANA HORSERACING COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a FAIR GROUNDS RACE COURSE & SLOTS

###### 1. PROGRESS REPORT

2016 QUARTER HORSE MEET

## 2. RACES

- a. Approval of first condition book for 2016 quarter horse meet.
- b. Approval of designated races for the 2016 quarter horse meet.

08/17/16 LQHBA Sales Futurity Trials  
 08/20/16 Treme Stakes  
 08/20/16 Audubon Stakes  
 08/20/16 Gentilly Dash Stakes  
 08/27/16 Faubourg St. John Stakes  
 08/27/16 Esplanade Stakes  
 09/02/16 De Saix Stakes  
 09/03/16 LQHBA Sale Futurity  
 09/03/16 LQHBA Sale Invitational Stakes  
 09/03/16 Mid-City Stakes  
 09/03/16 Lakeview Dash  
 09/03/16 French Quarter Stakes

## 3. REQUEST TO AMEND RACING DATES (R.S. 4:158A) TO OMIT FEBRUARY 23, 2017 FROM TB MEET AND TO ADD POST TIME EXCEPTIONS (IN BOLD BELOW)

2016/2017 THOROUGHBRED MEET

## a. Approval for 2016-2017 thoroughbred meet:

1. ~~82~~ 81 thoroughbred race dates (11/19/16 through 4/2/17)
  - November 19,20,24,25,26,27
  - December 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,26,29,30,31
  - January 1,2,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,26,27,28,29
  - February 2,3,4,5,9,10,11,12,16,17,18,19,~~23~~,24,25,26,27,28
  - March 2,3,4,5,9,10,11,12,16,17,18,19,20,23,24,25,26,27,30,31
  - April 1,2
2. Daily post time 1:25 PM except:
  - November 19, 2016 & **January 28, 2017**, 3:00 PM post time
  - November 24, 2016, 11:00 AM post time
  - December 10, 2016, January 21, 2017, February 25 & 28, 2017, April 1, 2017, 12:30 PM post time
  - January 13, 2017, February 10, 2017, March 10, 2017, 5:00 PM post time.**

## D. HARRAH'S BOSSIER CITY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a HARRAH'S LOUISIANA DOWNS

## 1. PROGRESS REPORT

## II. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. MEDICATION COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairperson Judy W. Wagner*
- B. RULES COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman R. Hamilton "Hammy" Davis*
  1. Update on creating procedure to confirm that training tracks retain continuous insurance coverage throughout the year.
- C. LEGAL COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Benjamin J. Guilbeau, Jr.*
- D. SECURITY COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Kenneth "Kenu" Romero*
- E. RACETRACK/HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Donald "Don" Cravins*
- F. FINANCE COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Louis Reine*

### III. OTHER

#### A. DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

1. **Approval** of Delegated Authority to Charles A. Gardner III, Executive Director, to approve various administrative documents and personnel actions for the Racing Commission.

#### B. APPRENTICE JOCKEY EXTENSION

1. **Ratification of Correction** to Extension of Apprentice Allowance for Jockey Hector del Cid with expiration date of 6/4/16.

#### C. REQUEST BY LAHBPA

1. **Discussion** of move in/out dates for horses at each track.

### IV. LICENSE APPROVAL

#### A. REQUEST FOR LICENSE APPROVAL (LA. REV. STAT. 4:150(B))

1. **Gerald J. Cole, Groom/Hotwalker.** Convicted felon.

### V. ADJUDICATIONS

#### A. VIOLATIONS OF LAC 35:I.1797 (Equine Positives)

1. **Rafael C. Gomez, Trainer.** *(Adjudication Referred)*  
Ruling#ED21733 of 6/18/16 – *Phenylbutazone (ARCI Category IV)*  
*(3<sup>rd</sup> offense of ARCI Cat. IV/V within a 12-month period)*
2. **Wendy A. Garcia, Owner/Trainer.** *(Adjudication Referred)*  
Ruling#DD21701 of 6/18/16 – *Stanozolol (ARCI Category III)*
3. **Fructuoso M. Huitron, Trainer.** *(Adjudication Referred)*  
Ruling#DD21735 of 6/22/16 – *3-OH-Lidocaine (ARCI Category II)*
4. **Kenneth J. Faul, Trainer.** *(Adjudication Referred)*  
Ruling#DD21735 of 6/17/16 – *Methamphetamine Dextro (d) isomer (ARCI Category I)*

### VI. ADJOURNMENT



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Charles A. Gardiner III  
Executive Director

This notice was posted by the entrance of the Louisiana State Racing Commission, Friday, July 1, 2016 at 4:00PM.